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Gems

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DMCS REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATIONS

Deva Matha Central School, Banaswadi celebrated the 70th Republic Day of our country, with beautiful hues of patriotism. The Chief Guest for the splendid occasion was Brigadier S S Kanbargimath. The Chief Guest was suavely given the Guard of Honour, by the student council members and house captains. The ceremony began with inspection of the four houses (Ruby, Topaz, Sapphire, Emerald) by the Chief Guest followed by unfurling of the National Flag and an immaculate March Past by the four houses, Scouts & Guides and DMCS School Band. The Chief Guest was duly felicitated by our School Director - Ms. Vrinda Coutinho and Principal - Ms. Geetha Somanathan. The dignitaries subsequently released the esteemed, monthly School Magazine – Gems. A spectacular Zumba performance, theme based speech, scintillating dance performances, Lotus formation human chain, Mime show, Yoga dance postures, Flash mob display, Tableau, Taekwondo presentiaon and thought provoking skit; were amongst the plethora of activities which made the Republic Day celebration, outstanding. The Chief Guest in his enamouring speech urged the students to uphold the integrity of being an Indian and emphasised on topics like Swachch Bharat and healthy eating habits. The programme

concluded with a hearty vote of thanks followed by the inauguration of the much awaited- Project Exhibition by the dignitaries.

Deva Matha Central School, Vidyanarayapura celebrated the 70th Republic Day, with unprecedented zest and gusto. Dr. D. V. Guruprasad - Retired DIG CID, DIG Fire and Home Guards Karnataka, was the Chief Guest for the day. The National Flag was unfurled by the Chief Guest; he also inspected the contingents of the NCC, Scouts & Guides and the four houses. A crisp and well-coordinated March Past led by the student council members, NCC & Scout and Guide contingents, DMCS School Band, was the highlight of the day.

In his address to the students, Dr. D.V. Guruprasad stressed on the value of punctuality and discipline. He also urged the children to develop the patriotic spirit. The Chief Guest inaugurated the Kinder-town and Club Exhibitions and went around to view each of the Club Exhibits, earnestly. The day left each of us inflated with feelings of patriotism and love for one's motherland.

Jai Hind !!!

Ms. Anandhi
Ms. Parimala

- Faculty Members



THE KEY TO SUCCESS

In the blink of an eye, the year is over and the time of reckoning is here – the time to give an account of what you have achieved in the year gone by !

When was the last time you paused and reflected, “Why am I here in school? What am I supposed to be doing here? Is school an opportunity for me to prove myself? What obligation do I have towards my parents, my teachers?” If you are able to give an answer to all these questions, your goals would be crystal clear and you will set out on the path to success.

Your years in school are an opportunity for you to explore your talent, study and work hard to achieve your dreams. School is sacrosanct in its essence, it’s a place where you try to find your passion and try to excel at what interests you. After all, success comes to those who work hard, who persevere and never give up. Successful students don’t do well only in studies, they do well in all other activities - they are all-rounders. So take part in all activities with gusto; but make time for studies as well.

Think ahead - plan for your future. Have a goal. Be mindful of your strengths and weaknesses and try



to improve yourselves. Make friends but keep good company with those who are themselves committed and regular. Be respectful and build a warm relationship with your parents. Pray and Work - Let that be your motto, success and happiness will be yours.

*“Heights by great men reached and kept
Were not achieved by sudden flight.
But they, while their companions slept,
Were toiling upward in the night.”*

– Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

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◆ CITYLOOK ◆

INDORE



Indore is the largest and most populous city in the Indian State of Madhya Pradesh. It is also an education hub and the first city to have campuses of both the Indian Institute of Technology and the Indian Institute of Management. The localites have a great proclivity for sumptuous food and love to binge on food items like Pani Puri, Lassi, Falooda, Khopra Pattis, Poha and Jalebis.

The city was adjudged the cleanest city in India, in a Swachh Bharath Survey in 2017, which included 484 Indian cities.

The main tourist attractions are Rajwada, The Daly College, Patalpani, Choral, and Tincha Falls. The city has a bustling indigenous charm. Evenings and holidays have almost the entire city out on the streets; with cars, scooties and rickshaws jostling for space in the never ending traffic. Indore is the city with a soul !

Aishwarya B. - Class IX

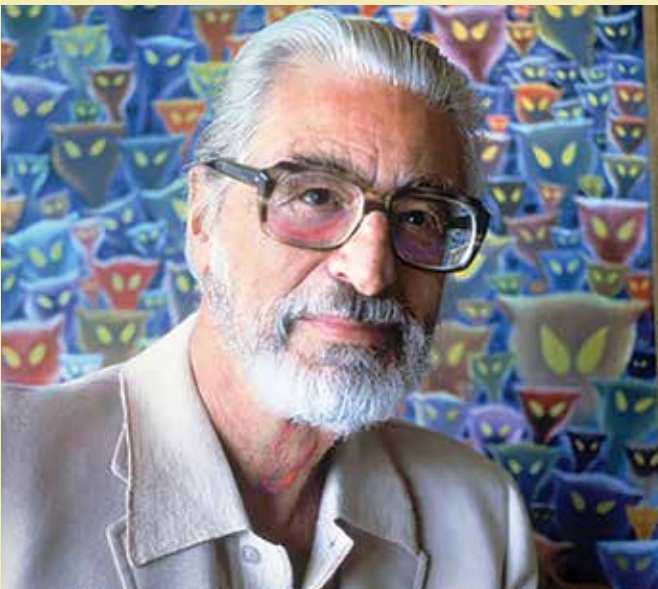
◆ THE QUEER ◆

Gurning is a championship for making the funniest faces in England. It is a rural English tradition, celebrated since 1267! There even exists a World Gurning Championship in England, in which participants make the most grotesque face possible. The tradition is taken quite seriously in England and people make special efforts to participate in the event. Four time Gurning Champion - Peter Jackman got his teeth removed to make his expressions easier. Talk about dedication!



Nandan K. - Class IX

◆ THE AUTHOR'S ODYSSEY ◆



THEODOR SEUSS GEISEL

Theodor Seuss Geisel (March 2, 1904 - September 24, 1991) was an American children's author, political cartoonist and animator, best known for his writings of more than 60 books under the pen-name Doctor Seuss (more fondly - Dr. Seuss) His works include many of the popular children's books of all time. I loved reading his book 'Horton Hears a Who'. In the book; Horton, an elephant must dodge his pesky neighbours and find a safe place to keep the dust speck, which contains a microscopic community of creatures known as the Whos. Other popular books include- If I ran the Zoo, The Cat in the Hat, The Lorax. Etc.

Srishti P. Kotian. - Class IX

PANEER STEAK



Grocery List:

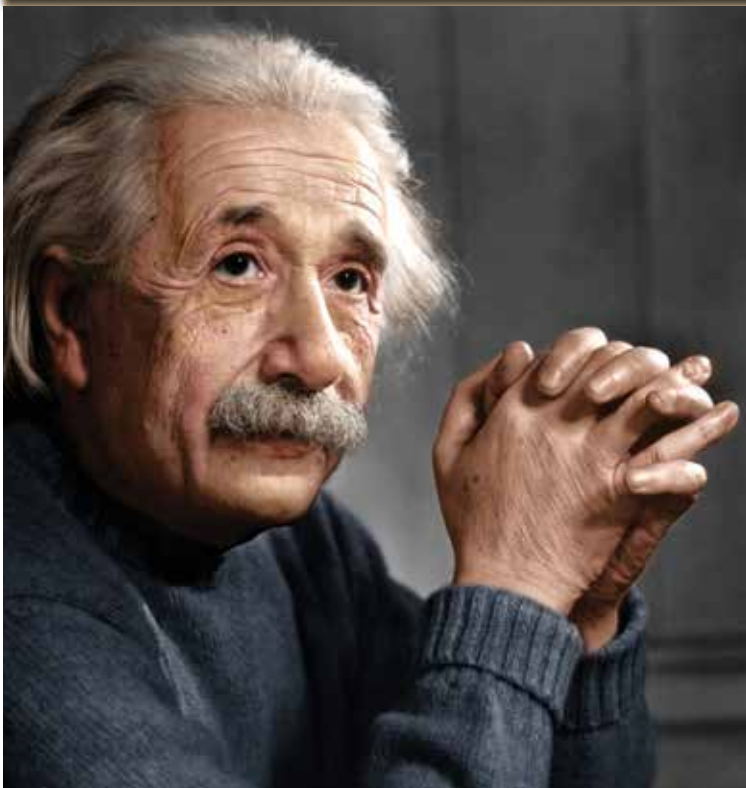
Paneer Slab	1 (200 gms)
Corn flour	70 mg
Chilli powder	1 teaspoon
Coriander powder	2 teaspoon
Salt	1 teaspoon
Turmeric powder	½ teaspoon
Finely chopped tomato	1
Finely chopped fresh Coriander	1 Bunch
Cooking oil	2 tablespoons
Water	40 ml
Barbeque Sauce	50 ml

Method.

Cut the paneer into two long slices
 Take a big bowl; add turmeric, chilli and coriander
 Pour 40ml of water and a tablespoon of oil and mix well
 Add paneer to the mixture and toss it into a tray of corn flour
 Again dip it into the marinade and toss it again in corn flour
 Add some oil in the frying pan for frying paneer
 Fry it until it turns to dark golden brown
 Now in another saucepan- fry garlic, tomatoes
 Add barbeque sauce, 50ml of water and boil for five minutes
 (until it thickens)
 Finally pour it on paneer steak
 Place mashed potatoes on the sides
 Garnish with carrot, beans, broccoli and coriander
 Serve hot and relish the excellent taste.

Rohan U. Nair - Std.VII

◆ MY TORCH BEARER ◆



ALBERT EINSTEIN

"If you can't explain it simply, you don't understand it well enough."

Einstein is one of the most brilliant minds to have ever lived although he was once considered a major failure. In fact, he could not speak until he was four years old. At 16, he failed to pass the entrance exam for the Swiss Federal Polytechnic in Zürich. He failed to reach the required standard in the general part of the examination, but obtained brilliant grades in physics and mathematics. His father considered him to be a failure which left Einstein completely heartbroken. Of course, this is the same individual who proposed the Theory of Relativity, with ground-breaking work done in Mathematics and Physics which inspires young minds even today. I am in complete awe of this great Scientist and revere him for his exceptional intellectual capabilities.

Rashmika Y. - Std.VIII



MARTYRS DAY

DMCS Banaswadi observed Martyrs Day (30th January, 2019) with great earnestness and sincerity. A theme based speech was shared with the audience and a dance number on “Satyamev Jayate”, added a patriotic flavour to the whole atmosphere. The motivational words of the leaders of Indian Freedom struggle was enacted. The school paid a two minute silent tribute for the Father of the Nation at 11am. The observation of Martyrs Day spread hues of patriotism all over the school environment.

Ms. Latha G. - Faculty Member

GOOD READ AWARDS DAY

Good Read Awards Day was observed at Deva Matha Central School, Banaswadi on the 31st January, 2019. On this day, awards were distributed to fellow bibliophiles, who read books with an incessant dedication.

The day embarked with a prayer and a thankful epistle was rendered for our Honourable Chairman Dr. Joseph V. G. for blessing the School Library, with a colossal collection of books. The Chief Guest for the day was Colonel (Retd.) S. K. Suresh Nair - an author by profession; his first book being ‘The Last Disciple of Nalanda.’ A powerful and inspiring speech was presented to the delighted gathering.

Children enacted an entertaining skit that fetched them a thunderous applause with smiles and laughter. There were speech, jokes and riddles highlighting the day’s theme.

Ms. Kokila Vani M. - Library In charge



LIONS CLUB

Lions Club Vidyaranyapura, organized a music and dance competition for schools in and around Vidyaranyapura. DMCS, Vidyaranyapura participated in the competition along with other neighbouring schools like MES Kishore Kendra, Regency School, Philomena's School, and Tindlu Govt. School. It was quite enterprising to see our school represent their Alma Mater at such a prestigious and esteemed platform. It was also a great opportunity to meet our neighbouring student community and have a healthy interaction with them.

Harshitha K. B. - Class VI



VOTER'S DAY

Students of Deva Matha Central School, Vidyaranyapura, observed 25th January 2019 as Voter's Day. A thoughtful and power packed skit embodied the theme of the day. They gave a brilliant demo of the mechanism of electing our leaders by the process of voting. Students doubled up as mock candidates conducting campaigns, seeking votes from general public. A ballot box was displayed prominently on the stage, where students posing as election officers enabled people to cast their valuable votes. Their left index fingers were marked with ink, simulating the actual voting methodology, to avoid duplicate voting. Students also conducted an interesting quiz on various aspects of election like EVM – Electronic Voting Machine, age criteria and eligibility to vote, among other specifics. Mock election results were declared and the chosen leaders were also felicitated.

Ms. Geetha Prasad - CCA Coordinator



◆ BRAVEHEART – HALL OF FAME ◆



Pankaj Semwal

Sixteen-year-old Pankaj Semwal saved his mother from a leopard attack. A resident of Uttarakhand's Tehri Garhwal, Pankaj said that when he confronted the leopard, fear was not playing on his mind at all. He not only saved his mother but also ensured that his sisters and brother who were there were taken to safety. The DMCS students express great admiration towards this young hero and applaud him for his inspiring bravery act.

Ananya Dutta - Std.IX

◆ Physical Wellness Programme ◆

Children of all ages enjoy games and always look forward to the Physical Education period in school. It is through games and sports that children learn many motor and cognitive skills - like hand-eye coordination, ability to take a few bumps and falls without getting upset, the joys of winning and the reality of losing sometimes.

DMCS has always gone an extra mile for its students. Bean Bag Tricks, Station Play and Under Arm Throw Ball for Nursery and LKG; Line Boogie, Partner Hoop Rolling and Chinese Ribbon Dance for UKG were some of the activities, enjoyed thoroughly by students. DMCS has also come with fantastic variations of Soft Ball games for the middle school children. The high school children have a great fun and learning time at the Soccer Matches. It is always very rewarding to watch students, across all ages enjoy their sports period, with unprecedented thrill.

– **Sports Club**



◆ QUALITY INITIATIVE ◆



The debating society of DMCS - Gezellig has always kept the quotient of fun, thrill and knowledge sharing alive. Keeping the aforesaid enterprise in mind, the society has launched the coveted Gezellig - Badge of Honour, for its Star Speakers every month. Gezellig is a prestigious platform wherein students are trained to discuss, deliberate and debate on varied topics and then earn the 'Badge of Honour'. These badges are then pinned for the Star Speakers, by the honourable dignitaries of the school, in the school morning assembly, on a monthly basis.

Ms. Madhurima S. - Vice Principal, DMCS Banaswadi

CREATIVE SPACE



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OJAS AGGARWAL - II



AJAY - III



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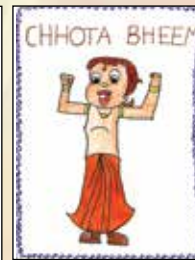
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Thank You